

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims

Claims 1-4 (cancelled)

Claim 5 (currently amended): A chemiluminescent composition, consisting essentially of
~~comprising~~:

an oxalate;

a fluorescent material; and

an acetyl tributyl citrate [[ester]] or an organic solvent containing an acetyl tributyl citrate
[[ester]],

wherein the chemiluminescent composition induces chemiluminescence when being
mixed with an oxidizing composition comprising hydrogen peroxide.

Claim 6 (previously presented): A chemiluminescent composition according to claim 5,
wherein the chemiluminescent composition further comprises a benzoate.

Claim 7 (currently amended): A chemiluminescent composition according to claim 6, wherein the benzoate is included at an amount of 40 volume % or less in the total amount of the acetyl tributyl citrate [[ester]] and the benzoate.

Claim 8 (currently amended): A chemiluminescent composition according to claim 6, wherein the benzoate is included at an amount of 30 volume % or less in the total amount of the acetyl tributyl citrate [[ester]] and the benzoate.

Claim 9 (previously presented): A chemiluminescent composition according to claim 5, wherein the oxalate is (2,4,5-trichlorocarbopentoxyphenyl)oxalate.

Claim 10 (currently amended): A chemiluminescent device, comprising:
a first component, comprising:
an oxalate;
a fluorescent material; and
an acetyl tributyl citrate [[ester]] or an organic solvent containing an acetyl tributyl citrate [[ester]]; and
a second component separated from the first component, comprising:
hydrogen peroxide.

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Claim 11 (previously presented): A chemiluminescent device according to claim 10, wherein the first component further comprises a benzoate.

Claim 12 (currently amended): A chemiluminescent device according to claim 11, wherein the benzoate is included in the first component at an amount of 40 volume % or less in the total amount of the acetyl tributyl citrate [[ester]] and the benzoate.

Claim 13 (currently amended): A chemiluminescent device according to claim 11, wherein the benzoate is included in the first component at an amount of 30 volume % or less in the total amount of the acetyl tributyl citrate [[ester]] and the benzoate.

Claim 14 (previously presented): A chemiluminescent device according to claim 10, wherein the oxalate is (2,4,5-trichlorocarbopentoxypentyl)oxalate.

Claim 15 (previously presented): A chemiluminescent device according to claim 10, wherein the second component further comprises t-butanol and at least one of ethylene glycol monoalkyl ether acetate and diethylene glycol monoalkyl ether acetate.

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Claim 16 (previously presented): A chemiluminescent device according to claim 10, wherein the oxidizing composition further comprises t-butanol and at least one of ethylene glycol monobutyl ether acetate and diethylene glycol monobutyl ether acetate.